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C O N F I D E N T I A L USUN 5909

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UNGA, BH, GT, UK, MX

SUBJ: 30TH UNGA: QUESTION OF BELIZE -- MEXICAN DRAFT  
RESOLUTION

1. ON NOVEMBER 12 UK MISOFF RICHARDSON INFORMED USUN MISOFF THAT AT MEETING OF THE UK AND CARIBBEAN CO-SPONSORS ON NOVEMBER 11, IT WAS DECIDED THAT THE MEXICAN DRAFT RESOLUTION IS NOT ACCEPTABLE TO THEM AND THAT THERE IS VERY SCANT CHANCE OF CHANGING IT IN A WAY THAT WOULD RENDER IT ACCEPTABLE. RICHARDSON REFERRED SPECIFICALLY TO THE LACK OF ANY REFERENCE TO "SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE" IN THE DRAFT AND TO THE DIFFICULTY IN DETERMINING EXACTLY WHAT THE "RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE OF BELIZE," REFERRED TO IN THE DRAFT ARE.

2. ON A STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL BASIS, RICHARDSON INFORMED US THAT IT IS THE INCLINATION OF THE UK AND CARIBBEAN CO-SPONSORS TO PLAY THE DRAFT ALONG SO AS NOT TO GIVE ANY IMPRESSION OF INTRANSIGANCE TO THE MEXICANS ON THE EVE OF PRESIDENT ECHEVERRIA'S VISIT TO GUATEMALA (NOVEMBER 13).

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3. RICHARDSON CONTINUED THAT THE UK NOW INTENDS TO CONTACT

THE GUATEMALANS, PROBABLY IN GUATEMALA AND NEW YORK,  
CONCERNING THE RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS AFTER THE GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY. RICHARDSON SAID THAT HE EXPECTED A RESPONSE  
TO THE SECRETARY'S PROPOSALS TO BE DELIVERED TO THE DEPARTMENT  
LATE TODAY (NOVEMBER 12).

4. RICHARDSON EXPECTS THE VOTE ON BELIZE SOME TIME NEXT  
WEEK, PERHAPS TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY.  
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